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DRAFTED BY NEA/EGY:AMBASSADOR EILTS:CEK
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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO PRIORITY

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FOR CHARGE FROM NEA/EGY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAID, EG

SUBJECT: PL-480 TITLE I AMENDED - CORN

REFERENCE: STATE 074483

1. RE PARA 5 REFTTEL, AGRICULTURE SECRETARY BERGLAND DID NOT, RPT NOT, HAVE OPPORTUNITY INFORM PRESIDENT SADAT OF ADDITIONAL CORN. EMBASSY SHOULD PROCEED WITH NOTIFICATION TO GOE UPON RECEIPT USUAL ACTION INSTRUCTIONS.

2. AMBASSADOR EILTS REQUESTS THAT MATTER BE HANDLED WITH GREAT CARE. GIVEN TIMING, WE DO NOT WANT TO GIVE SADAT'S CRITICS OPPORTUNITY TO CHARGE THAT ONLY TANGIBLE RESULT OF HIS WASHINGTON VISIT IS 100,000 TONS OF CORN. THUS, WHEN ADVISING GOE OF THIS ADDITIONAL INCREMENT OF PL-480 TITLE I FOOD ASSISTANCE, WE SHOULD DO SO IN ROUTINE MANNER NOTING IT IS PART OF OUR OVERALL FOOD AID PROGRAM TO EGYPT.

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3. AS DISCUSSED MATTHEWS/EILTS TELECON, ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE FOR AMBASSADOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT SHORTLY AFTER HIS RETURN. AMBASSADOR WILL TAKE APPROPRIATE OCCASION TO INFORM SADAT AND FAHMY OF THIS ADDITIONAL INCREMENT.

4. AMBASSADOR RECALLS MIN SUPPLY TAWFIQ EXPRESSED CONCERN

DURING LAST SIGNING CEREMONY THAT OUR EXISTING PL-480 AMENDMENT PROCEDURE LENDS ITSELF TO CONFUSION TO A POINT WHERE HE DID NOT KNOW EXACTLY WHAT HE WAS SIGNING. TAWFIQ SUGGESTED THAT, INSTEAD OF USING AMENDMENT PROCEDURE IN WHICH PHRASES ARE INCLUDED, DELETED OR ALTERED IN INITIAL PL-480 AGREEMENT, DOCUMENT TO BE SIGNED SHOULD BE THE AGREEMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY AS AMENDED BY LATEST INSTRUCTIONS. IN THIS WAY GOE COULD MORE EASILY STUDY WHAT IT IS SIGNING. PLEASE SET UP NEW AGREEMENT FOR CORN IN THE MANNER THAT MINISTER TAWFIQ SUGGESTED. DESPITE ADDITIONAL TYPING INVOLVED, HIS SUGGESTION MAKES SENSE AND SHOULD AVOID FURTHER CONFUSION.

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